

# HarveyHelpers – A Toolkit for Distributing Emergency Aid



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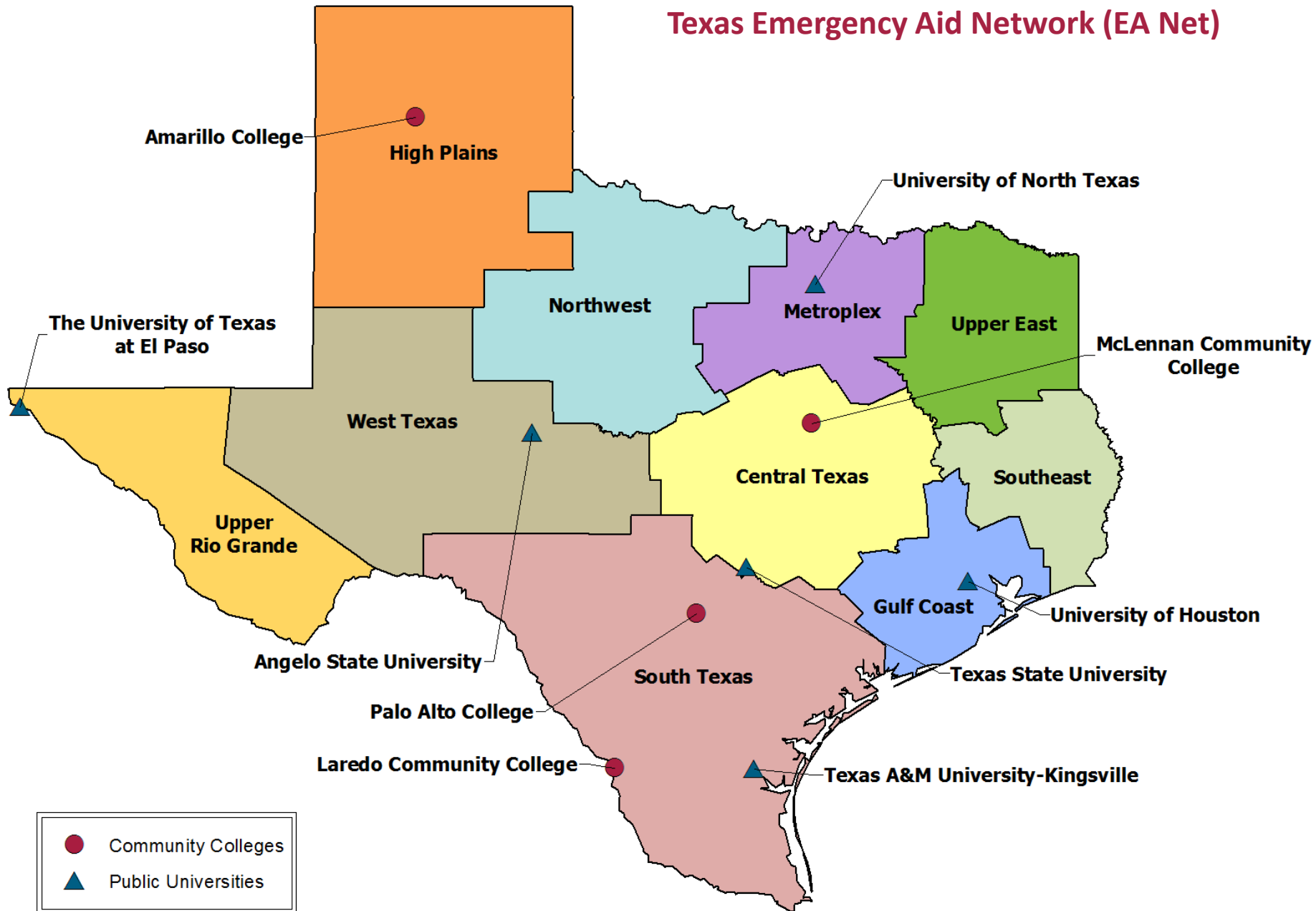
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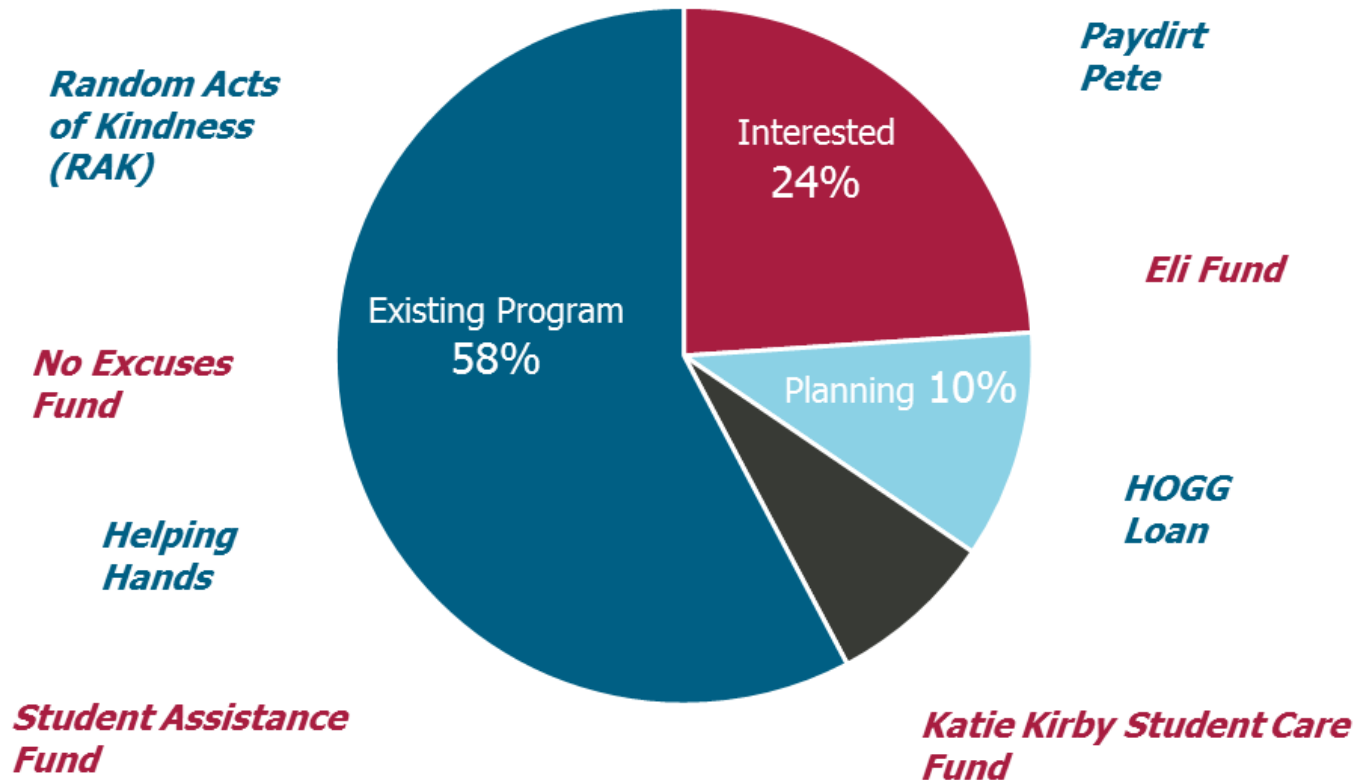
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## Texas Emergency Aid Network (EA Net)



# Texas Emergency Aid Survey Data



# Polling Now Open

**Poll:** Does your institution currently have an emergency aid program that will be used to distribute any funds that may be received from the [#harveyHELP](#) fund?

**Poll:** In which department will your emergency aid program be housed?

**Poll:** Do you feel this webinar has helped to better prepare your institution to distribute any [#harveyHELP](#) funds your institution may receive?

# Communication Matters, Before, During & After Hurricane Harvey



YouTube Video Link: <https://youtu.be/v/=c3yoHpmTR4I>

\*This video from **Baylor College of Medicine** will be available for viewing under “Resources” on our EA Net website at <http://www.thecb.state.tx.us/60x30TX/TexasEANet>

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## Emergency Aid Network (EA Net)




## Advocating for Emergency Aid in Texas

**When:** *Next Meeting* 08/18/2017 09:00 AM-12:00 PM

**Where:** Via Skype

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**Problem Statement**

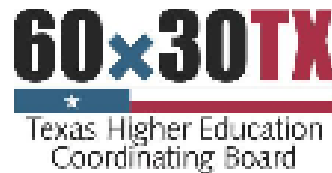
Nationally, nearly 3 million students leave college annually because of small, emergency expenses they can't meet. To help move the state toward meeting the goals of the higher education plan, 60x30TX, Texas is primed for understanding the benefits and impact emergency aid programs have on student persistence and completion. The newly formed Emergency Aid Network (EA Net) will be identifying strategies and best practices that help promote policies and processes for effective emergency aid and financial literacy programs in Texas.

**Background**

The *Advocating for Emergency Aid in Texas* project consists of four phases. The first phase began with a survey to develop a better understanding of emergency aid practices at institutions of higher education (IHE) in Texas. The survey was sent to all

For additional information: <http://www.thecb.state.tx.us/60x30TX/TexasEANet>

## Sample Emergency Aid Applications/Guidelines



## Sample Emergency Aid Applications/Guidelines

[Tx State U - Application Criteria Online Form](#) 

[Tx State U - Application Student Emergency Services Funding rev 2014-03-21](#) 

[McLennan - Emergency Grant Application 17-18](#) 

For general Hurricane Harvey  
Information and Resources:  
<http://www.thecb.state.tx.us/>

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The relief efforts for #harveyHELP are being led by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB); Austin Community College (ACC); Texas Association of Community Colleges (TACC); Independent Colleges and Universities of Texas (ICUT); Council of Public Universities Presidents and Chancellors (CPUPC); Dallas County Community College District (DCCCD); Civitas Learning; and Communities Foundations of Texas (CFT), the parent of Educate Texas.

# Thank You



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